

111TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 1072

To prohibit United States contributions to the United Nations for the purpose of paying or reimbursing the legal expenses of United Nations officers or employees charged with malfeasance, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 13, 2009

Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN (for herself, Mr. ROYCE, and Mr. SMITH of New Jersey) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. WITHHOLDING OF CONTRIBUTIONS TO UNITED**
4 **NATIONS FOR LEGAL FEES OF CERTAIN OFFI-**
5 **CERS OR EMPLOYEES.**

6 The United States may not contribute to the United
7 Nations any funds to be used to pay or reimburse legal
8 expenses incurred by current or former United Nations

1 officers or employees in connection with proceedings arising out of alleged malfeasance in connection with the employment of such officers or employees with the United Nations. The President shall ensure that no United States contributions to the United Nations are used for such purposes, including, where necessary, by withholding from United States contributions to the regularly assessed biennial budget of the United Nations amounts equal to any amounts so paid or reimbursed.

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